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RESPONSE

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Sir:

This is responsive to the Restriction Requirement mailed May 31, 2005.

In response to the restriction requirement, applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 2-11, 13-15 and 20-23.

The application is believed to be in condition for allowance, and such action is earnestly requested.

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